

From I-75 near Jellico, TN, take Exit 160 and travel north on U.S. Hwy. 25 to State Hwy. 297, make a right on London and a left on Dairy Street. This will lead you to the entrance of the park.



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Hours of Operation:

Park: 7:00 a.m. to sunset / Office: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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Indian Mountain State Park / 143 State Park Circle / Jellico, TN 37762

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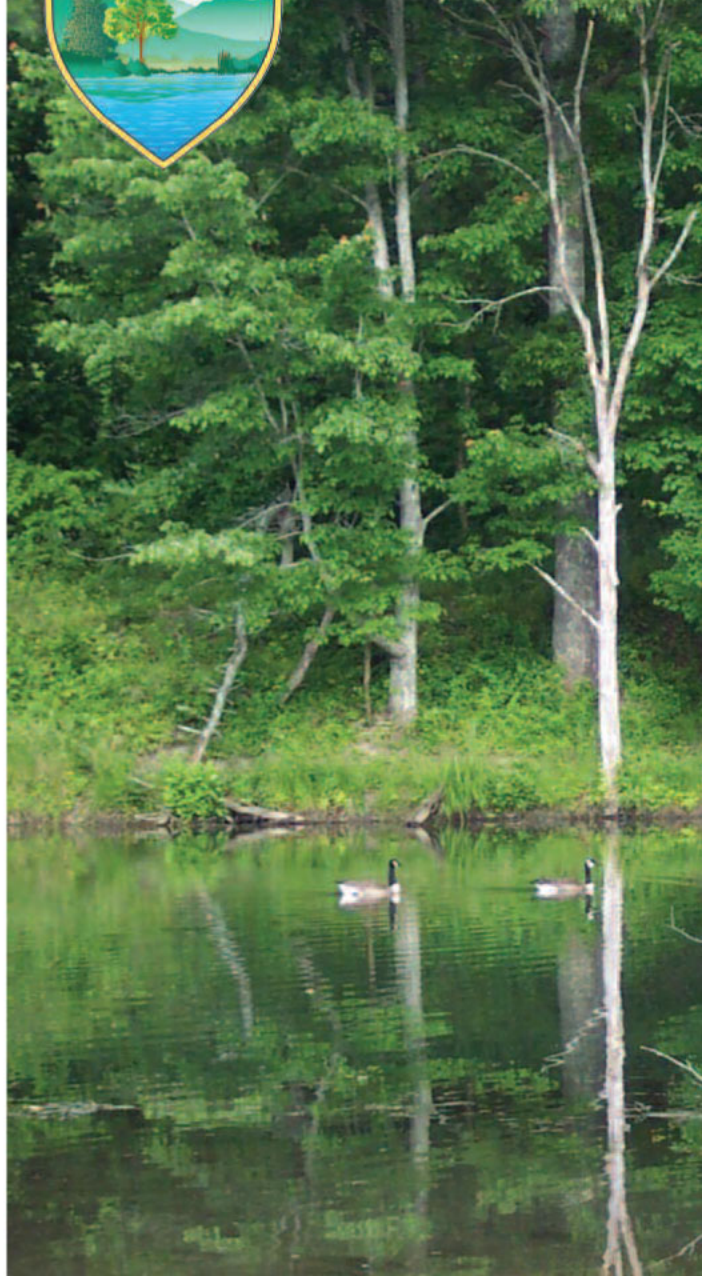
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TENNESSEE STATE PARKS INDIAN MOUNTAIN STATE PARK





Indian Mountain State Park

is a multi-use, approximately 200-acre park in Campbell County near Tennessee's northern border. It serves as a living demonstration of how good environmental practices can reclaim wasteland and convert it to beneficial use. Visitors to the park are likely to see geese, ducks, beaver, blue heron, and an occasional deer.

Indian Mountain has a history and origin different from that of any other Tennessee State Park. The city of Jellico originally acquired the park in the late 1960's through a federal open space grant under provisions of the 1961 Federal Housing Act. Utilizing grants from the State of Tennessee, the Appalachian Regional Commission, and the Tennessee Wildlife Resources Agency, the park was developed as a reclamation project in which abandoned strip mining pits were converted to recreational use. As a reclaimed surface mine Indian Mountain exhibits a beneficial use that can be made of land after such intensive alterations as those inherent in surface mining. The park is the first in the state, and likely the first in the Southeastern United States to demonstrate the feasibility of using abandoned mining sites as parkland.

Camping

There are 47 sites with paved pads to serve both tent and RV campers. The sites have water, electricity with 30-amp breakers and a dump station. All sites have picnic tables, and grills are located throughout the camping area. A modern bathhouse with restrooms and showers is available to campers. Pets are welcome at Indian Mountain State Park, but are required to be on a leash. There is also a designated area for group camping.

Boating

We have pedal boats and fourteen-foot fishing boats available.

Hiking

There are 3 trails with a combined distance of 3 miles. All trails are rated moderate.

Picnic Pavilions

Indian Mountain has three picnic shelters, which can be reserved for a small non-refundable fee. If shelters are not reserved, visitors may use them on a first-come first-serve basis. All the picnic shelters have grills, and restrooms are located nearby.

Fishing

Fishing is allowed year round. Our ponds are stocked yearly with bass, crappie, blue gill, shell cracker, catfish, and carp. A Tennessee Fishing License is required.

Planned Programs

The park offers many interpretative programs focusing on plants, local history, and animals under the direction of a seasonal ranger during the summer months only.

Swimming

There is a small cost for access to the pool. Lifeguards are on duty during hours of operation. Swim lessons are offered.

Nearby Attractions

- Cumberland Museum, Williamsburg, KY, 12 miles
- Kentucky Splash Water Park, Williamsburg, KY, 12 miles
- The Appalachian Museum, Clinton, TN, 40 miles

Annual Events

- Fourth of July Celebration, Jellico, TN, July
- Halloween Haunted Trail, October
- Christmas In The Park, December

Other Nearby State Parks

- Norris Dam State Park, 34 miles
- Cove Lake State Park, 29 miles

